Supplemental Labeling



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Dithane* DF Rainshield*

Section 18 Specific Exemption

For Control of *Alternaria* Stem and Leaf Blight and *Phytophthora* Leaf Blight in Ginseng

For Distribution and Use Only in the State of Michigan

- It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.
- This labeling must be in the possession of the user at the time of application.
- This Specific Exemption Expires October 15, 2004
- The product Dithane* DF Rainshield* fungicide, EPA Reg. No. 62719-402, manufactured by Dow AgroSciences LLC may be used. Existing stocks of Dithane DF purchased from the previous registrant, Rohm and Haas (EPA Reg. No. 707-180) may be used.
- All applicable conditions and restrictions on the federally registered product label for Dithane DF Rainshield as well as the Section 18 use directions must be observed.

Directions for Use

Dithane* DF Rainshield fungicide is authorized for control of stem and leaf blight in ginseng. Apply Dithane DF Rainshield at the rate of 2 lb (1.5 lb active) per acre beginning at plant emergence. Apply with ground equipment in a minimum spray volume of 80 gallons of water per acre. Subsequent applications must be at least seven (7) days apart.

Resistance Management: It is strongly recommended that this product be applied in rotation with Quadris (azoxystrobin) fungicide or other fungicide registered for use on ginseng.

All agricultural workers/handlers (i.e., mixers, loaders, and applicators) applying mancozeb must wear coveralls over long-sleeved shirt and long pants, chemical-resistant gloves, shoes, and socks. During mixing and loading, a chemical-resistant apron and goggles or a face shield must also be worn. Entry into a treated field prior to a 24-hour re-entry interval is prohibited without the protective equipment listed above.

Restrictions:

- Preharvest Interval: Do not apply within 28 days of harvest.
- Aerial Application: Do not aerially apply.
- Chemigation: Do not apply through any type of irrigation system.
- Do not make more than 4 applications or apply more than 8 lb of Dithane DF Rainshield (6 lb active) per year.

Note: Any adverse effects resulting from the use of Dithane DF fungicide under this emergency exemption must be immediately reported to the Michigan Department of Agriculture.

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